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SUBJ: GOVERNMENT CRISIS: ECEVIT TURNS DOWN PREMIERSHIP

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REPUBLICAN PEOPLE'S PARTY CHAIRMAN ECEVIT, AFTER MEETING WITH PRESIDENT KORUTURK AT NOON MARCH 19, TOLD JOURNALISTS THAT THE PRESIDENT HAD JUST ASKED HIM TO HEAD A NEW GOVERNMENT AND THAT HE HAD DECLINED BECAUSE HE LACKED A PARLIAMENTARY MAJORITY. HE SAID THAT HE HAD EXPLAINED TO THE PRESIDENT HIS VIEWS REGARDING A POSSIBLE GOVERNMENT MADE UP OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY (DP) PLUS TECHNOCRATS (REFTEL) AND THAT THE PRESIDENT HAD SAID HE WOULD CONSIDER SUCH A FORMULA. HE WENT ON TO SAY THAT THE PRESIDENT HAD GIVEN HIM PERMISSION TO TRAVEL TO LONDON LATER THIS WEEK, SO THAT HE COULD

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RESUME THE EUROPEAN TRIP THAT WAS INTERRUPTED LAST WEEKEND WHEN

THE PRESIDENT ASKED HIM TO RETURN FOR CONSULTATIONS ON THE
GOVERNMENT CRISIS.
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